

State of Georgia Campaign Contribution Disclosure Report

1. Report Type (Select One)

- ☒ Original Report
☐ Amended Report

Amendment #

2. Filing is being made on behalf of (Select One):

☐ Candidate or Public Official

Office Sought or Held: Commissioner District 2
(Include county, municipality, district, post or judicial circuit)

Committee Name: Melvin E. Ford Election Committee

☐ Report of Organization or Person Other than Candidate's Campaign Committee

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3. Identifying and Contact Information

(1) Melvin E. Ford (2) 10-3-07
Full Name of Candidate or Non-Candidate Campaign Committee Today's Date

(3) 1656 Luckey St Augusta Ga. 30901
Mailing Address City State Zip Code

(4) (706) 733-8231 and / or (706) 922-1441
Contact Phone Number (We will understand the release of this information as permission to call your office if necessary)

(5) If a Candidate or Public Official, is there a campaign committee (one or more persons) to make campaign transactions, keep the financial records of the campaign, or file the reports? ☒ Yes (6) If so, is the committee registered with the State Ethics Commission? ☐ Yes

(7) If so, complete the following: Arthur Marshall
Name of Chairperson and / or Treasurer of Committee

4. Period for which you are Reporting

You Must Check Only One Box

My Non Election Year	My Election Year	Run-Offs (Report required only if you are in a Run-Off Election)	Special Elections (Report required only if you are in a Special Election)
<input type="checkbox"/> June 30, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> March 31, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 days before Primary Run-Off, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> 15 days before Special Primary, ____ (year)
<input type="checkbox"/> Dec. 31, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> June 30, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 days before General Run-Off, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> 15 days before Special, ____ (year)
<small>*Persons elected to office in each year following the year in which the election occurs *Persons leaving office with excess funds until such funds are expended as provided in the Act *Unsuccessful candidates with excess funds, or who receive contributions to retire debt incurred, until such funds are expended, or such unpaid debts are satisfied (December 31 filing only)</small>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> September 30, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 days before Special Primary Run-Off, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dec. 31, ____ (year)
	<input type="checkbox"/> October 25, ____ (year)	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 days before Special Run-Off, ____ (year)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> December 31, ____ (year)		

Verification by Oath or Affirmation

State of Georgia

County of Richmond

I, Melvin E. Ford, being duly sworn (affirm), depose and say that the information in this report is complete, true, and correct. Further, I affirm that the contents in this report are the same as the contents in the electronic filing submitted, if also electronically filed.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on 10/3, 2007

Martina M. Bailey
Signature of Notary Public

Melvin E. Ford
a. Signature of Candidate
b. Organization/Chairperson/Treasurer

My Commission expires 4/11/08

PENALTIES: Any person who knowingly fails to comply with or who knowingly violates any of the provisions of the Ethics in Government Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

State of Georgia Campaign Contribution Disclosure Report Summary Report

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED

	I have: No contributions to report. The following contributions, including Common Source, to report:	<u>In-Kind</u> <u>Estimated Value</u>	<u>Cash Amount</u>
1			
2	A. If this is the first time to file a disclosure report for the current office sought , ENTER 0 in both columns (one time only); or B. If this is the first report of this Reporting Cycle*, ENTER 0 in the in-kind column and list any net balance on hand brought forward from the previous reporting cycle in the cash amount column (Line 13 of previous report, or total funds left over at year end of previous cycle); or C. If this filing is the second or subsequent filing or this Reporting Cycle, list totals from Line 6 of previous report in both the in-kind and cash amount columns.		0
3	Total amount of all contributions of \$101.00 or more received in this reporting period. Each such contribution must be listed on the "Listed Contributions Received" page.		760.00
3a	All loans received this period.		
3b	Interest earned on campaign account this period.		
4	Total amount of all separate contributions of less than \$101.00 each that were reported in this reporting period. "Common Source" contributions must be aggregated on the "Listed Contributions Received" page.		300.00
5	Total contributions reported this period. (Line 3 + 3a + 3b + 4)		1060.00
6	Total contributions to date. <i>Total to be carried forward to next report of this reporting cycle*.</i> (Line 2 + 5)		1060.00

EXPENDITURES MADE

	I have: No expenditures to report. The following expenditures to report:	<u>In-Kind</u> <u>Estimated Value</u>	<u>Cash Amount</u>
7			
8	Total expenditures made and reported prior to this reporting period. If this is the first report of this Reporting Cycle*, ENTER 0. (Line 12 of previous report)		0
9	Total amount of all expenditures of \$101.00 or more made in this reporting period.		360.00
10	Total amount of all separate expenditures of less than \$101.00 each that were made in this reporting period.		544.77
11	Total expenditures reported this period. (Line 9 + 10)		904.77
12	Total expenditures to date. <i>Total to be carried forward to next report of this reporting cycle*.</i> (Line 8 + 11)		904.77
13	Net balance on hand. (Line 6 - Line 12)		150.23

* O.C.G.A. 21-5-34(b)(1)(D)(ii) A reporting cycle shall commence on January 1 of the year in which an election is to be held for the public office to which a candidate seeks election and shall conclude:

- (I) At the expiration of the term of office if such candidate is elected and does not seek reelection or election to some other office;
- (II) On December 31 of the year in which such election was held if such candidate is unsuccessful; or
- (III) If such candidate is successful and seeks reelection or seeks election to some other office the current reporting cycle shall end when the reporting cycle for reelection or for some other office begins

Public Officer/Candidate/Non-Candidate Committee Name

Melvin E Ford

State of Georgia Campaign Contribution Disclosure Report Outstanding Indebtedness

Election Cycle*: _____ Election Year: _____		Amount
1	Outstanding indebtedness at the beginning of this period.	0
2	Loans received this period.	
3	Deferred payment of expenses this period	
4	Payments made on loans this period.	
5	Credits received on loans this period.	
6	Payments this period on previously deferred expenses.	
7	Total indebtedness at the close of this reporting period. (Line 1 + 2 + 3 - 4 - 5 - 6)	0

Election Cycle*: _____ Election Year: _____		Amount
1	Outstanding indebtedness at the beginning of this period.	0
2	Loans received this period.	
3	Deferred payment of expenses this period	
4	Payments made on loans this period.	
5	Credits received on loans this period.	
6	Payments this period on previously deferred expenses.	
7	Total indebtedness at the close of this reporting period. (Line 1 + 2 + 3 - 4 - 5 - 6)	0

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7	Total indebtedness at the close of this reporting period. (Line 1 + 2 + 3 - 4 - 5 - 6)	0

* Election Cycle (Primary, General, Special, Special Primary, Run-Off Primary, Run-Off General, Run-Off Special, Run-Off Special Primary)

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Campaign Contribution Disclosure Report
Listed Contributions Received of \$101.00 or More

Full Name of Contributor Mailing Address (PAC Affiliation if applies)	Contributor		Election Cycle**	Cash Amount	In-Kind Contributions
	Received Date Contribution Type*	a. Occupation b. Employer			Estimated Value Description
Melvin Ford 1656 Luckey St Augusta, GA 30601	8-30-07	Mortgage Consultant BMC Inc.	11-6-07	\$ 360.00	\$
G.W. Prince & son Inc. 209 5th St Augusta, GA 30601	9-10-07	owner Bill's place	11-6-07	\$ 400.00	\$
				\$	\$
				\$	\$
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				\$	\$

Page Total \$ 760.00 \$

The Act requires all public officers, candidates, and campaign committees to list contributions received and expenditures made which are individually \$101.00 or more and to disclose the total amount of all contributions received and expenditures made which are individually less than \$101.00.

* Contribution Type (Monetary, In-Kind, Loan, Common Source, Credit Received on Loan)

** Election Cycle (Primary, General, Special, Special Primary, Run-Off Primary, Run-Off General, Run-Off Special, Run-Off Special Primary)

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Listed Expenditures Made of \$101.00 or More

List Name and Mailing Address of Recipient	Expenditure Date Expenditure Type*	Occupation and Place of Employment	Expenditure Purpose	Amount Paid
Board of Commissioners Richmond County	8-31-07		Qualifying Fee	\$ 360.00
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$

Page Total \$ 360.00

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* Expenditure Type (Expenditure, In-Kind, Loan Repayment, Refund, Reimbursement, Credit Card, 3rd Party, Deferred Payment, Payment on Deferred Expense)

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Addendum Statement

The Addendum Statement should be used for explanation of any additional information needed to complete an accurate filing of this report.